(2) Kiralbogi may be excluded from the list of reserved trees as it is specially suited for ploughs in the Malnad districts.

Reply of Government.—The matter is under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 188.

Amildars to be authorized to fix a reasonable amount for both forest and village hulbanni.

Mr. K. Nanjappa, Taluk Member, Holalkere.

Summary of discussion.—The present practice of fixing and levying forest hulbanni, separately from village hulbanni, works hard upon the raiyats. The Amildars may therefore be authorized to fix a reasonable sum for both kinds of hulbanni.

Reply of Government.—This cannot be done. The Conservator of Forests will be asked to report whether there is any practice of fixing a lump sum in connection with State Forests.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL BOARDS.

SUBJECT No. 189.

Appointment of Amildars as Members of District Boards.

Messrs. Saiyad Sab of Kankanhalli Taluk; Sahukar Manjaiya Uduparu and Nagappa of Nagar Taluk

Summary of discussion.—The Amildar's knowledge of every village in the taluk made him a useful member of the District Board. Under the present constitution he is no longer a member. In the interests of the taluk he may be re-appointed as a member.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 190.

Appointment of employees in the Education Department as Local Board Members.

Mr. Varahaswami Iyengar, Sri Yadugiri Sadanandavardhini Sabha, Melkote.

Summary of discussion.—As the Professors, Masters and Pandits teach morality and charity (dharma) to young men, they should be elected as members of the Representative Assemblies, District and Taluk Boards. At present the employees in the Education Department of this State are not treated with becoming respect. Therefore it is prayed that this drawback may be set right.

Reply of Government.—This is not necessary.

SUBJECT No. 191.

Election of Representative Assembly Members by Taluk Boards.

Mr. Sivabasavadevaru, Land-holder, T.-Narsipur.

Mr. Yale Chennabasappa, Hiriyur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Municipalities containing a population of 5,000 inhabitants are eligible to elect Representative Members. Minor Municipalities cannot elect such Members as per revised Rules. Since Taluk Boards have been established, these may now be empowered to elect Representative Members, from among themselves.

Reply of Government.—The existing Rules do not require any alteration.

SUBJECT No. 192.

Appointment of honorary village members in the interests of raiyats.

Mr. Lakshmi Narasimhachar, Chamarajnagar.

Summary of discussion.—In all villages the shanbhog being a powerful person, very often uses his influence in tyrannizing over a large number of raiyats who are mostly ignorant. These shanbhogs very often conceal the former orders of Government and get new orders passed against those raiyats whom they do not like. In the interest of